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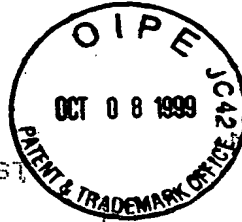
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SIZES AND COMPRESSION THROUGH FRACTAL CODING**

Enclosed are:

- (X) Patent Application: 46 pages, 4 claims.
- (X) 24 Sheets of drawings.
- (X) A certified copy of European Priority Application Number 98930522.3
- (X) Citation Under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449.
- (X) Preliminary Amendment.
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